

HOUSE BILL 1540

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AN ACT to amend Chapter 7 of the Private Acts of 1999; as amended by Chapter 114 of the Private Acts of 2004; Chapter 5 of the Private Acts of 2007 and Chapter 24 of the Private Acts of 2009; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the charter of the City of Milan.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Section 5 of Chapter 7 of the Private Acts of 1999, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the section.

SECTION 2. Section 6 of Chapter 7 of the Private Acts of 1999, as amended by Chapter 24 of the Private Acts of 2009, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the language:

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall consist of a Mayor, who shall serve a four year term, and eight (8) Aldermen, who shall also serve four (4) year terms.

and substituting instead:

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall consist of a Mayor and eight (8) Aldermen, each of whom shall serve four (4) year terms except as otherwise provided herein.

SECTION 3. Section 6 of Chapter 7 of the Private Acts of 1999, as amended by Chapter 24 of the Private Acts of 2009, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the second paragraph and substituting instead the following:

The election date for the offices of Mayor and Aldermen shall be in even years on the first Tuesday following the first Monday of November of each succeeding year for the offices to be vacated the following January 1. The Aldermen for each ward shall be elected to staggered terms. The terms of office for the Mayor and Aldermen shall begin on January 1 following their election. The Mayor and Aldermen elected in 2023 shall be

for a term of office of one (1) five-year period, and the terms of such offices thereafter shall be four (4) years.

SECTION 4. Section 17 of Chapter 7 of the Private Acts of 1999, as amended by Chapter 114 of the Private Acts of 2004, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the language "The Mayor, with the approval of the Board, shall appoint a City Recorder." and substituting instead the language "The Mayor shall appoint a City Recorder.".

SECTION 5. Section 19 of Chapter 7 of the Private Acts of 1999, as amended by Chapter 5 of the Private Acts of 2007, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting subsection (B)(I) and substituting instead the following:

The municipal court clerk elected in 2023 shall be for a term of office of one (1) five-year period, and the term of such office thereafter shall be four (4) years.

The clerk shall take office on January 1, next following his or her election.

SECTION 6. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of the City of Milan. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 7. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 6.